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Publication Notice in Chancery.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY, }

In the Circuit Court of the said county and term aforesaid, A. D. 1887.

Andrew Dennis vs. Jane White, Jane White Guardian of Fannie C. White and Arthur L. White, minors, Jane White Administratrix of the estate of Geo. W. White deceased, Wm. G. White, Sallie S. White, Fannie C. White, Ar. thur L. White, Anna Simcoe, John S. Simcoe, Josephine Lynch, Raymond Lynch, Anna Levi, Theodore Mullens, Charles W. Carter, James W. Carter, Clark W. J. Chenoweth and Rose Chenoweth partners as W. and C. and Thomas Bond and Joseph Allerdice partners as Bond and Allerdice, L. W. Moore and Ira S. Barnes partners as Moore and Barnes, D. L. Bunn and Edwin Park partners as Bunn and Park, F. McLean, Melissa Smock, E. L. Wilson, Theodore Mullens, Theodore Mullens, William Mullens, Clem Mullens and Mullens, Anna Mullens, Florence Mullens, Wm. W. Foster, Nancy Dickson, Anna Stoner, Wm. H. Hammer, Hedges Min. Charles Laux, Charles Laux Administrator of the estate of Jacob Stutsman, deceased, Theodore A. Gehrman, George Stare and Lewis Bill in Chancery to Foreclose Lien and for Relief. No. 12,998.

Now is hereby given to you, the said Jane White Guardian of Fannie C. White, Arthur L. White, minors, Jane White, Administratrix of the estate of George W. White, Wm. G. White, Sallie S. White, Fannie C. White, Arthur L. White, Anna Simcoe, John S. Simcoe, Josephine Lynch, Raymond Lynch, Anna Levi, Wills Levi and Theodore Mullens, defendants named complainant heretofore filed a bill of complaint in said court, on the chancery side thereof, on said cause, and that a writ in chancery thereupon issued out of said court against the above named defendants, returnable on the first day of a term of said circuit court to be holden at the court house in the City of Decatur, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, beginning on the first Monday in the month of June, A. D. 1887, and that the said suit is still pending and undetermined in said court.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

Wm. H. Greenslade, Complainant's Solicitor.

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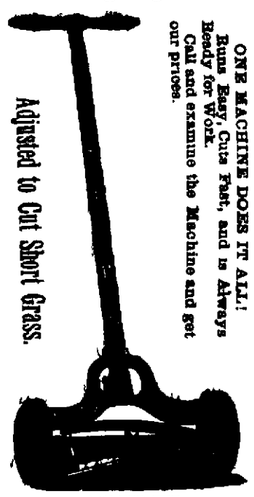

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PERSONAL AND IMPERSONAL.

—Governor Lounsbury, of Connecticut, has specified that no member of his staff shall use intoxicating liquors.

—California boasts of a boy type-setter, twelve years old, who can set four thousand ems of solid brevier in less than four hours.

—The corner-stone of the pedestal for the colossal statue of John C. Calhoun, which has recently been put up at Charleston, S. C., was laid thirty-five years ago.

—A New England writer says it is a popular error to suppose that all ministers' sons are hung or sent to State prison, and he furnishes a list of forty-three who are respectable and law-abiding men.

—"Out of seventeen bachelors at Keystone, D. T., who three years ago resolved never to marry, eleven are now married and two are soon to be." Some women have moved into the country since.

—Miss Julia Malcom, of New Haven, paid twenty-five dollars for some land in Colorado ten years ago, and the other day sold the same for $250,000. The development of a lead mine was what jumped the price.

—General Lew Wallace, author of that notable book, "Ben Hur," speaks of the Turks as "a very remarkable people—never drink liquor or abuse animals, are polite to women and are invariably kind to children."

—Recently at Bethany, Conn., George Lounsbury, aged seventy-four, and his wife, aged thirty-seven, died on the same day and almost at the same instant. They were both taken ill just a week before their death. Mr. Lounsbury died of a paralytic stroke and his wife of typhoid pneumonia.—*Hartford Post.*

—Nathaniel Hucker, who works the State Associated Press wire in Buffalo, is the oldest telegraph operator in actual service in the country. He has been at the key for forty-one years. Six words a minute was the limit in those days, and an operator receiving by sound was discharged.—*Buffalo Courier.*

—"When Dickens landed in Boston," says Dr. Holmes, he was struck with the brightness of all the objects he saw—buildings, signs and so forth. When I landed in Liverpool, every thing looked very dark, very dingy, very massive in the streets I drove through. So in London, but in a week it all seemed natural enough."

—A visitor to Havana says he failed to discover the boasted beauty of the Cuban women, of which so much is heard. They all have large, handsome, melancholy dark eyes, but their complexion is hidden beneath a thick plaster of powder. There seem to be no handsome old ladies. Cuban beauty does not last long.

"A LITTLE NONSENSE."

—"Now, while I have my taper lit," remarked Mrs. Forethought, "I'll just seal up a lot of these envelopes and lay them where they'll be handy."—*Boston Commonwealth.*

—*Texas Siftings* says "there are plenty of recipes for lobster salad, but none to prevent its giving you the nightmare." Yes there is: don't eat it at night.—*Boston Globe.*

—A precocious youth, prompted by an unpleasant recollection of the last term, says that school teachers are like dogs. "They lick your hand." This carries off the palm.—*Texas Siftings.*

—Belmont boasts of a woman who "goes out and chops wood with her husband." It is customary to use an axe, but he may be an unusually sharp man.—*Columbus (Ga.) Enquirer-Sun.*

—Love's Young Dream.—She (unconscious of the flight of time)—How bright and shimmering the Evening Star appears to-night, dear George! Would it were—. George (quietly)—My love, that is the Morning Star.

—An exchange says that so many fur rugs lying about the house are unhealthy. We had always supposed that they were quite rugged. However, if they are "unhealthy," why not call in the doctor and have them prescribed for immediately?

—According to a morning contemporary, "four horses, an express wagon and a large number of chickens perished in the flames" last night. The heart-rending cries of the express wagon must have brought tears to the eyes of everybody.—*Puck's Annual.*

—He (to Pittsburgh heiress)—Do you know Miss Wandergrift, whose father is reported to be very rich? She (glass and pig-iron)—O, no, indeed! The Wandergrifts do not belong to our set at all! They are so new, you know! Their money comes from natural gas.—*Puck.*

—Leader of Orchestra—All ready. Ah, what is the matter, Herr Schweinfurth? Herr Schweinfurth—Dot overture vill have to vait. Ohf dot feller vot plays de trum can't geep from chewin' unt den usin' mine horn for von spiddoon, I vill resign myselfuf from dis pand.—*Puck.*

—I heard a good occasional story the other evening at the dinner of the Association of Life Underwriters. Mr. James T. Phelps, the newly-elected President, related that his small son said to him at breakfast: "Papa, what makes you so solemn? What is the matter?" "Oh," was the answer, "I have got to engineer that underwriter's dinner to-night, and it bothers me." "Papa," inquired the infant, with the terrible seriousness peculiar to his age, "what does the engineer of a dinner do; does he turn on the cranks?"—*Boston Cor. Providence Journal.*

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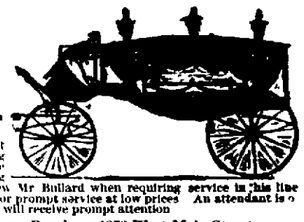

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Notice in Chancery.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
COUNTY OF MACON, }

In the Circuit Court of said County, to the June Term, A. D. 1887.

Susan H. Murphy vs. William G. Murphy. In Chancery. No. 12,687.

Affidavit of the non residence of the above named William G. Murphy having been filed in the office of the clerk of said court, public notice is hereby given to the said William G. Murphy, that the above named Susan H. Murphy hath heretofore filed her bill of complaint against him in this court, that a summons was issued against him in said cause returnable into said court on the first day of the January Term, A. D. 1887, holden at the court house in Decatur, in said county and state, and commencing on the second Monday of January, A. D. 1887, that said term said cause was continued, that an alias summons hath been issued in said cause against him, returnable into the same court at the June Term, A. D. 1887, to be holden at the same place, and commencing on the first Monday of June, A. D. 1887, when and where said cause is now pending.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

CREA & EWING, Sols. for Complainant.

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Notice In Chancery.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY, }

In the Circuit Court, to the June Term, A. D. 1877.

Charles P. Housum and James Milliken
vs.
John Trainer, Emily V. Trainer, Jesse Kinnear, Leslie G. McPherson, Logan G. McPherson and Maud Hickman.—In Chancery.

Notice is hereby given to the said Jesse Kinnear, Leslie G. McPherson, Logan G. McPherson and Maud Hickman that the above named complainants heretofore filed their Bill of Complaint in said court, on the chancery side thereof, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against the above named defendants, returnable on the first day of the term of the Circuit Court of Macon county, to be held at the court house in Decatur, in Macon county, on the First Monday in June, A. D. 1887, as is by law required, and which suit is still pending.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

JOHNS & RANDOLPH, Compl'ts Sols.

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Administratrix' Notice.

Estate of Edward Johnson, Deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed Administratrix of the estate of Edward Johnson, late of the county of Macon and state of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that she will appear before the County Court of Macon county at the court house in Decatur, at the June term, on the third Monday in June next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 16th day of April, 1887.

SALLIE JOHNSON, Administratrix.

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Office over the Postoffice, Decatur, Illinois.

Administrator's Notice.

Estate of Peter D. Kline, Deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed Administrator with the will annexed of the estate of Peter D. Kline, late of the county of Macon and state of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the County Court of Macon county, at the court house in Decatur, at the June term, on the Third Monday in June next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 23d day of April, 1887.

JAMES W. RAE, Administrator with the will annexed.

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DAILY REPUBLICAN.

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DECATUR, ILLINOIS.

Entered at the Post Office at Decatur, Illinois as second class mail matter

WEDNESDAY EVE., APRIL 27, 1887.

EVEN sleepy old St Louis has a real estate boom Property to the value of half a million dollars changed hands there yesterday They all have it.

THE Bloomington *Bulletin* says that gambling has been carried on to such an extent that the city has nearly descended to the level of Springfield This is a fearful charge.

EVERY dollar that Decatur has was earned right here. No money or capital has ever been brought here The progress and prosperity of Decatur is all her own, and they are a credit to the enterprise and energy of her people.

STARR & MILLS have not yet completed the platting of their new addition, but they have already contracted a number of their lots, and other buyers are only waiting until the plat is recorded to make their selections. Experience has already shown that those who cried, as the croakers always cry, "You can't sell outside lots," were wofully mistaken. Lots *will* sell, and at fair prices, too, as every one has found out who has any to sell

IF Litchfield is in the territory where natural gas may be obtained what good reason exists for saying that there is no use in trying to find it here? Everything indicates that we are within the territory where gas may be found, and if we do not try to reach it we are standing in our own light But we cannot find it without an effort, or without the expenditure of some money Let the effort be made. It will not cost a great deal to make a beginning

THE arable land of the Mississippi Valley is now largely taken up The settler can not much longer "go west" in search of cheap lands What lands there are yet to be settled bear no comparison with those of Illinois in fertility, ease of tillage or nearness to market Why, then do central Illinois farmers leave lands that are so rich to find poorer lands hundreds of miles farther from market at prices nearly or quite as high as those ruling here? Those who do so generally live to regret the change

THE printing "combine" at Springfield is seriously interfering with the transaction of public business. The state authorities refuse to pay out any more money on the printing contract and the printers refuse to do any more work until they are paid The legislature finds itself unable to get its bills printed, and until they are printed they cannot be considered Thus the effort of a gang of cormorants to plunder the treasury is bearing bitter fruit Verily whatever Springfield touches on the way of public affairs, results in loss and disaster to the whole people Is it any wonder that the people should be prejudiced against everything that pertains to the capital city?

FOREIGN NEWS.

The War Feeling Between Germany and France Rapidly Growing

Trial of the Enemies of the Czar—Count Kalnoky Defends—Another Russian Conspiracy in Bulgaria

LONDON, April 26 Berlin and Paris specials to-night are not so satisfactory as they were last night A more warlike tone characterizes the utterances of the leading French journals A war feeling is rapidly growing It is significant of the change in the situation that the French press are opening their columns freely to warlike expressions by public men

M De Cassagnac predicts that the issue of the incident will be unpleasant to France He believes that Germany is fully prepared to insist on the arrest of M Schnaebele by force Claims it necessary another way of saying that he incident will bring on war German officials to-day took photographs of the exact point where Schnaebele crossed the frontier and of the places where the subsequent events happened Strong guards of troops of the German police French officials had previously photographed 18 bomb holes but found where not had fallen this being the point assigned by M Schnaebele, where the struggle took place that ended in his capture

France

THE SCHNAEBELE AFFAIR CONSIDERED IN THE CABINET

PARIS April 27 At a Cabinet council held yesterday for the purpose of discussing M Schnaebele's case, M Flourens Minister of Foreign Affairs read a long dispatch from M Herbette the French Ambassador to Berlin detailing an interview with Count Herbert Bismarck Fresh orders have been issued to the French ambassador in view of this interview with Count Bismarck

Russia

TRIAL OF ENEMIES OF THE CZAR

ST PETERSBURG Ap il 27 The trial of nine men and three women mostly young students, charged with complicity in the recent attempt to kill the Czar is to commence to-day before the political law senators with closed doors Even relatives of the accused are to be excluded The indictment drawn up by the Attorney General is a voluminous document of twenty three folios It is stated that the accused have confessed It is said the Czar would have been killed on the 10th inst, if he had taken his usual carriage drive The plot leaked out through information given by the landlady of a house where some of the students boarded The women to be tried have been allowed to consult lawyers

Austro-Hungary

KALNOKY RE-ELECTED

VIENNA, April 27 —A diplomatic reception was held last night, at which Count Kalnoky, Austro-Hungarian premier, was decorated with the order of the Golden Fleece

GRAND MILITARY REVIEW

VIENNA, April 27 — The Emperor yesterday reviewed 40,000 troops on the Schmerz Plain in honor of Duke Albrecht There was a great attendance of spectators, and the weather was beautiful

Germany.

HEALTH OF THE CROWN PRINCE

BERLIN, April 26 —The Crown Prince Frederick William is rapidly recovering his health under the treatment he is receiving at Ems His hoarseness has entirely disappeared, and his appearance indicates complete retoration of health within a short time

Bulgaria

ANOTHER RUSSIAN CONSPIRACY UNEARTHED

SOFIA April 27 —A fresh conspiracy among the followers of M Zankoff, the leader of the Russian party in Bulgaria, has been unearthed and several ex army officers, members of the Zankoffist party, have been arrested, charged with being implicated in it

BY TELEGRAPH.

FROM WASHINGTON.

The Inter-State Commerce Law and the Transportation of Indian Supplies.

Reduced Rates to the Society of the Army of the Cumberland---Suspiciously Missing---Protests.

Delighted to be Robbed---Rights of Claimants Under Land Entries---Arrests by Post-Office Inspectors.

Transportation of Indian Supplies.

WASHINGTON, April 27 —Commissioner Atkins of the Indian Office, returned from St Louis without closing the contracts for the transportation of Indian supplies The railroads, under their interpretation of the Inter-State law, raised their rates from one to two hundred per cent The Commissioner submitted the question as to the transportation of freight for the Government's use to the Inter-State Commission, and they ruled that it could be carried at former rates. Commissioner Atkins hopes this will prove satisfactory to the railroads, and that they will agree to transport Indian supplies at old rates He has readvertised, and will make another attempt to let the contracts Should the railroads, however, refuse to accept the ruling of the Inter-State Commission, and persist in their exorbitant rates, the Commissioner will transport the supplies by water as far as possible and haul them in wagons to the reservations.

Where is the Inter-State Commerce Commission?

WASHINGTON, April 27 —The executive committee of the Society of the Army of the Cumberland have been advised that the Central Traffic Association and the Trunk Line passenger committee, at a recent meeting at Chicago, have decided to grant reduced rates to members of the society attending the annual meeting to be held in this city next month The rate is fixed at one and one third for the round trip between all points Members must present certificates of membership from the proper officers of the society to obtain the reduced rates

Detailed to Aid the Secretary of War.

WASHINGTON, April 27 —Major J H Adams, of the Engineer Corps, has been detailed as a military aid to the Secretary of War to transact business relating to engineering matters in connection with river and harbor improvements, the construction of bridges, etc So much work has come to the secretary's office, that it was impossible to dispose of it without an additional officer expert in engineering matters. Major Adams has been on duty for a long time as assistant to the chief of engineers

Mysteriously Missing.

WASHINGTON, April 27 —Mr Wm Conard, late head of a division in the Navy Department, disappeared Saturday night, and has not since been seen Mr Conard is forty-five years of age, tall and slender, with brown hair, mustache and eyes It is feared he is not in his right mind, as he left a letter for his wife, stating that he intended to make way with himself

Protests Against the Suspension of the Long and Short Haul Clause

WASHINGTON, April 27 —Chas H Hill, secretary of the Philadelphia Wool Merchants' Association, J M Burlingame, secretary of the Minnesota Business Men's Association, and the treasurer of the J S Williams Soap Manufacturing Company of Gastonburg, Conn, have severally filed their protests with the Inter-State Commerce Commission against the suspension of the long and short haul clause of the Inter-State Commerce law

Pleased to be Robbed

WASHINGTON, April 27 —Indian Agent Anderson, at Crow Creek, D T., telegraphed Indian Commissioner Atkinson that the people ordered from the reservation are leaving quietly. They seem, the agent says, pleased to be relieved from suspense No trouble is feared, though the troops are still there

Rights of Claimants Under Land Entries

WASHINGTON, April 27 —Acting Secretary Muldrow has decided that a mortgagee or assignee may be permitted to file, under oath, in the local land office, notice of his claim under any entry in order that he may be advised of any adverse action thereon and to protect his rights

Arrests By Post Office Inspectors.

WASHINGTON, April 27 —The post office inspectors during the month of March made fifty seven arrests of persons charged with criminal offenses against the sanctity of the mails.

An Office Declined.

WASHINGTON, April 27 —The position in the rebellion record office made vacant by the death of Colonel Scott, has been tendered to Lieutenant-Colonel Lazette by the President and declined

JOHN CALDWELL CALHOUN.

Ceremony of Unveiling the Statue Erected to Commemorate His Life and Services.

CHARLESTON, S C, April 26 —The rush of visitors to the city commenced yesterday morning, and all incoming trains since have been crowded with soldier and civilian visitors Many prominent persons from all parts of the country are present including Secretaries Lamar, Fairchild and Vilas of the President's Cabinet ex Governor Magrath, Hon James Simon, Speaker of the House, Governor Richardson and staff, Senators Voorhees and Hampton and Representative Dibble, with many others from this and adjoining States

The city and shipping are profusely decorated, and the military display is very brilliant The weather to-day is superb, the air is balmy, the sky cloudless, and yesterday's rain has laid the dust.

All the military and civic organizations assembled in line this morning on the east of south batteries at eleven o'clock A few minutes past noon the line moved up Meeting street to Calhoun, and thence to the grand stand

The procession was in seven divisions as follows

First, the military, escorting the Governor and staff, and the chief marshal and his assistants

Second, the mayor and City Council.

Third, the president, professors and students of the city and State colleges and schools

Fourth, the city civic societies

Fifth, the Odd Fellows, Masons, Knights and kindred societies.

Sixth, distinguished guests and others.

Seventh, citizens

After reaching the grand stand on Citadel green, which held eight hundred persons, the various organizations took the places assigned them by the marshals around the monument.

At a few minutes past one o'clock the unveiling ceremonies began The statue was unveiled by thirty-two young ladies, clad in white, who occupied the pedestal. After an artillery salute, Secretary Lamar began his oration.

The oration—an elaborate and eloquent eulogy—was a comprehensive analysis of the character of Mr. Calhoun, and a brilliant portrayal of his career as a statesman It delineated his social, moral and intellectual traits, which rendered him a majestic figure, a master mind among his fellow men, and it gave a rational definition to the real purposes and true spirit of the great Carolinian as a leader of public opinion, and as the author of important public measures. Calhoun's purity of life and sterling integrity were the granite foundation of the character underlying and supporting the splendid superstructure of his exalted qualities of genius, eloquence, wisdom and patriotism, and the people of South Carolina, in erecting this statue, might feel that they were rendering and perpetuating their homage to the majesty of moral rectitude

After a full exposition of Mr Calhoun's State rights ideas and nullification doctrine, the orator declared that nullification did not mean secession; that it had in it not one element of disunion, and that the controversy over South Carolina's nullification movement closed by a compromise act, which repealed the odious tax law that Calhoun's State had nullified More than this, Andrew Jackson, the man of iron will and pitiless purpose, in the face of his proclamation, signed the act that swept from the statute book the enactment which South Carolina in her asserted sovereignty had declared unconstitutional, null and void

Of Mr Calhoun's attitude toward slavery the orator declared that the great Carolinian never entertained or expressed a sentiment respecting the constitutional status of slavery in the States that was not entertained and expressed by Henry Clay, Daniel Webster, John Quincy Adams, and all the eminent statesmen of his time, including Benton Calhoun held, with them all, that slavery was an institution of society in the States, sanctioned and upheld by the Constitution, protected and enforced even upon the States where slavery did not exist, by the fundamental law of the Union

Secretary Lamar in his peroration, addressing himself to the ladies of the South Carolina Association, declared that it was well this monumental statue had been reared on South Carolina's soil through the instrumentality of her own fair daughters Calhoun's life was one uninterrupted homage to women He was a true son of South Carolina His just fame and great name were the fruits of her social system, and it will be her glory when succeeding generations shall learn and appreciate the lessons of political truth taught by him, and shall imbibe his pure spirit of patriotism, his exalted conception of duty and become inspired by the honor, fidelity, courage and purity of life which ennobled themselves in the soul of the man whose statue South Carolina women have erected in commemoration of the affectionate reverence with which they commend him to the honor, love, imitation and confidence of mankind

The speaker finished his peroration at 4:30 p m, being frequently interrupted by the cheers and enthusiasm of his audience Odes written by Miss Cheesborough and Mrs Margaret Fuller, were read, and the crowd quietly dispersed

Everything passed off pleasantly, and the military organizations to-night are celebrating the occasion in festivities at their respective armories and halls

The statue was designed by Mr Albert E Harnisch, of Rome, and was cast at the celebrated Michele foundry there. It is fourteen feet in height and represents Calhoun about to address the Senate It rests on a huge base of granite forty-five feet high His cloak is reproduced on the chair beside him The statue represents the Senator, with one hand raised and the index finger emphasizing his remarks. The allegorical figures about the base of the statue, are Truth, Justice, the Constitution and History

On January 23, 1854, eleven ladies met in Charleston to devise means for raising money for the erection of a statue of Calhoun. An association was formed and subscription papers distributed In 1860 the fund had reached $20 000 On the night of the burning of Columbia, Mrs. M. A Snowden, treasurer of the association, fled from that city to Charleston with the money sewed in the folds of her dress The cost of the statue was $44,000, leaving over $10,000 still on hand to the credit of the monument association

FORAKER'S FIRMNESS.

He Does Not Propose to Tolerate Mob Rule in the State of Ohio,

But Calls Upon the Sheriff of Paulding County to Make a Requisition for Troops

COLUMBUS, O, April 26 —Telegrams were received by Governor Foraker to-day from residents of Defiance asking protection from a mob Edward Squire telegraphed particulars of the reservoir destruction in Paulding County last night, and assured the Governor that military protection was necessary, as the county was in the hands of a mob Governor Foraker at once telegraphed Adjutant-General Axline to report for duty with a company of militia from Henry County They were ordered by telegraph to proceed at once to the seat of trouble Telegrams were also sent to all Northwestern Ohio troops, ordering them to be in readiness.

The Governor issued a proclamation, reciting the action of the mob, and referring to the inefficiency or unwillingness of the Paulding County authorities to take any action He therefore ordered, in the name of the State of Ohio, all rioters and evil-minded persons to desist from further depredations, and to at once return to their homes. The proclamation further warns all such persons that any attempts to prevent repair of the canal or reservoir property will be done at personal peril

The Governor proposes to put down the mob if every soldier in Ohio is called out. He also telegraphed C. A Flickinger and others to begin repairs at once, and promises military protection The sheriff of Paulding County has not yet made a requisition for troops, but the Governor has requested him to do so at once

Shot Dead in a Quarrel About a Pair of Mittens.

TORONTO, Ont, April 27 —At seven o'clock yesterday morning, while Thomas Nilby and James Moore, both colored, were quarreling about a pair of mittens, Moore drew a pistol and shot Nilby dead Moore has not yet been caught.

POOR OLD MISSOURI

Disgraced in Her Capital City by Two of Her Honored Sons.

An Ex-Judge of the Supreme Court and the State Auditor in a Street Encounter.

Both Parties Show Fight and Leave the Scene in a Badly Damaged Condition.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., April 27 —A very serious difficulty occurred about nine o'clock yesterday morning between Judge John W. Henry and State Auditor John Walker, which resulted in the serious wounding of both, the former by a pistol shot and the latter by a blow from a cane The difficulty occurred near the east entrance to the Capitol grounds From various statements it appears that Judge Henry was going to the Supreme Court building, where he expected to argue a case Auditor Walker was coming from the Capitol and the two passed each other just outside of the Capitol gate They had not been on speaking terms for some time, and consequently did not salute each other Just after passing Auditor Walker faced around and said:

"Judge Henry, what do you mean by continually assaulting my character and injuring me?"

Judge Henry replied "I have never said anything about you except what was the truth."

After a positive and a negative assertion from each, the auditor said "You are a —— liar"

A moment later Judge Henry struck him over the head with his cane, and the auditor drew a pistol and fired almost instantly. For a minute or two they stood and looked at each other, neither attempting any further hostility The auditor seated himself on a door step near by and appeared to be looking for something on the ground Judge Henry walked to the Supreme Court building and in the hallway met Mr R B Vineyard, a St Joseph lawyer to whom he said

"Send for a doctor, John Walker, the —— coward, shot me"

While Mr Vineyard was making some inquiries as to what physician to summon the judge went to the telephone himself and telephoned for Dr C H Thompson

In the meantime Mr Legg, a St Louis a chiefer who was passing by, assisted Auditor Walker into C G Brooks' house, only a few steps from where the conflict occurred

Dr R. E. Young had also been summoned from the Supreme Court building, and arrived first A hurry examination of Judge Henry's wounds showed that, while serious, they were not necessarily dangerous He had evidently attempted to grab the pistol, as his hand and wrist were badly powder-burned. The ball, which, it seems, was fired from either a thirty-two or thirty-eight caliber pistol, first struck the fleshy part of his left arm, between the wrist and elbow, and thence struck his left breast about an inch above the nipple and ranged across and lodged in the right breast bone, where it still remains, the physicians deeming it unwise to attempt to remove it

The wound received by the auditor was across the left side of the head, and seems to be serious. The cane used by Judge Henry was an ordinary, silver-headed ebony stick, about medium weight The auditor complains of his neck and shoulder, and thinks that he was struck more than once, but Judge Henry and a boy who witnessed the fight say that only one blow was struck, which seemed to stun the auditor considerably, but did not knock him down The auditor is very much excited since recovering his senses, and can remember but very little of what happened Visitors are not permitted to see him, which would seem to indicate that his wound is of a serious nature

Your reporter called on Judge Henry while the physicians, Drs C A, Thompson and R E Young, were probing for the bullet He was not in a very amiable frame of mind concerning the difficulty, which he said was a cowardly attempt at assassination, and only failed through the cowardice of the auditor to make a good shot He said that he was entirely unarmed and only used his cane to prevent the auditor from shooting him It would require a great many dashes to make a full report of the Judge's conversation He said that the auditor purposely provoked the trouble and called him a liar, knowing very well that it would provoke hostilities, etc

Continuing, he said: "If he didn't want to assassinate me, why didn't he whip me? He is physically able, I am small and physically weak, while he is a powerful man And what was he carrying a pistol for? That's what I would like to hear explained—blank his blanked cowardly picture"

The auditor says that he did not draw his pistol until after Judge Henry struck him, and a Mrs Heinrichs, who witnessed part of the fight, says that she did not see the pistol until after Judge Henry had struck a blow with his cane She thinks only one blow was struck

Joe Beckers, a seventeen-year-old boy, who was painting just over the combatants, gives the following version of the affair

"Just after Judge Henry and Auditor Walker passed, the auditor turned around and said 'Judge Henry, what do you mean by talking about me so,' and Judge Henry said, 'I have never told anything except the truth about you, John Walker' Then after a few words, the auditor called him a —— liar. Judge Henry raised his cane, and I heard him say to the auditor: 'Shoot, you —— coward; why don't you shoot?' Then he struck the auditor and the auditor shot him, all of which happened almost instantly"

It seems that the pistol ball paralyzed Judge Henry's right arm for a few minutes after the shooting, as it was some little time before he could raise it

Architect J H Legg, of St Louis, said he heard the report of a pistol as he walked up Main street toward the Capitol building At the same instant he saw two men on the sidewalk opposite the frame building near the gate As the drew near them he recognized them as Auditor Walker and Judge Henry Before he reached the spot where they were standing Auditor Walker fell to the pavement and Judge Henry turned and walked toward the Capitol Mr. Legg helped Mr Walker up and led him to the nearest house, where he sat down on the the steps to rest Mrs Dr Brooks, on hearing the pistol report, came out and invited Mr. Legg to assist Auditor Walker into her residence, near by He walked to the house with some difficulty, and was almost carried to a lounge where the wound over his right temple was bathed He complained of palpitation of the heart and a numbness in his left side. Mr Legg was nearly forty yards away when the difficulty occurred, and he did not see the blow struck or the shot fired

CAUSE OF THE TROUBLE.

Judge Henry and the auditor have not been on good terms for several years, and for several months back did not recognize each other Judge Henry was a witness before the Walker investigating committee last winter, and it is believed his testimony was of a nature to irritate and injure the auditor Both men are over sixty years of age, and have been very prominent in Missouri politics for fifteen years or more, and each has a large circle of warm friends Judge Henry was late Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, and Mr Walker is now serving a second term as State Auditor The difficulty is seriously regretted by all, and it is hard to tell what the end may be If the advice of friends is followed, the matter will be dropped.

Judge Henry was taken to his home in Kansas City yesterday afternoon

Auditor Walker was removed from near the scene of the combat to his home, some five blocks distant He vomited hard and continually complained of a pain at the base of his brain His right side is partially benumbed The physicians, however, believe that he will recover in due time

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

Congressman Heard is seriously ill at Washington

James G Blaine departed for home yesterday from Chicago

Alexander Mitchell's remains were buried at Milwaukee

The yacht Thistle was launched near Greenock, Scotland, yesterday

John Burns of Mansfield Ill, fell off a roof and sustained fatal injuries

The Schnaebeles affair yesterday depressed the European money markets

An old bombshell exploded at Harper's Ferry, W Va, seriously injuring six persons

Adam White was shot and killed at Arkansas City Ark, supposably by Ed Liggins.

New plans are ordered for the reconstruction of the old Post-office building in St Louis

Blue Wing won the great Chickasaw stakes at Memphis yesterday Montana Regent finished third

Yesterday was Odd-Fellows' anniversary and was generally celebrated throughout the country

The plan of J B Legg has been adopted for the improvements on the Capitol building at Jefferson City Mo

Henry Hoile, insane, of Cincinnati, made a savage assault on his wife and children, and then killed himself

Jack Hopper knocked out Mike Cushing in a light weight contest up the Hudson river yesterday morning

Harriet Crocker, of San Francisco, and Charles B Alexander, of New York were married at San Francisco yesterday

Lieut. James H Wilcox of the Seventh cavalry is on trial at Fort Snelling, Minn, on charge of duplicating his pay accounts

In a fire at Allegheny City, Pa, yesterday, two persons were suffocated outright, and two more were injured, it is thought, fatally

Quite a breeze was created yesterday in the Canadian Parliament by the absence of certain documents bearing on the fisheries dispute

The Canadian fishery protection fleet starts on its cruise May 10. Officers have been forbidden to be interviewed by press representatives

Russian authorities have stopped citizens of St Petersburg from presenting General Boulanger, French Minister of war, with a sword

A Colored Infant Beaten to Death By Two Girls.

CLEVELAND, O, April 27 —A most brutal murder, the particulars of which can hardly be credited, on account of the terrible cruelty of the deed, took place in Decatur alley near the notorious Commercial street hell, Monday Some time ago Mrs Jennie Docile, a colored woman, took charge of a two-year-old colored child named Robert Brown Yesterday Mrs Docile left the child in charge of two girls When she returned at noon the little boy was very sick, and at two o'clock he died The girls told her that the child had been very naughty, and they had whipped him "a little" The fact of the child's death soon spread through the neighborhood and several persons who called at the house and saw the body said that the infant had been flogged to death The body of the child was in a terrible condition Great welts and cuts deep in the skin were plainly visible, and in many places the skin and flesh had been torn open and the blood had oozed from the wounds and trickled down upon the bed clothes After questioning the woman, the officers decided to arrest all the inmates of the house, and Mrs Docile, Carrie Smith and Hattie Jewell were taken to the Central station All the prisoners were locked up on the charge of murder.

BASE BALL.

Games Played Tuesday, April 26, 1887.

St Louis—Browns, 19, Cincinnatis, 6

Brooklyn—Brooklyns, 14, Baltimores, 7

Louisville — Clevelands, 6, Louisvilles, 4

Philadelphia—Athletics, 18, Metropolitans, 17

Milwaukee—Chicagos, 8; Milwaukees, 6.

Kansas City—St Josephs, 11 Kansas Citys, 6

New Haven—Yales, 2; Bostons, 1

Omaha—Omahas, 12, Hastings, 6

Minneapolis—St Pauls, 7, Minneapolis, 4

Murphysboro—Murphysboros, 12, DuQuoins, 5

Wonderful and Diabolical, If True.

NEW YORK, April 26 —Katie Fisher, a sixteen year old girl, was found early this morning clinging to a spike in the pierhead at the foot of East Twenty eight street Captain W Fowler of the barge Governor Tilden, rescued the girl She said that last night about nine o'clock on coming from work she had been enticed on to the pier by two unknown men, who after attempting to assault her, and on her stoutly resisting them, threw her into the water, where she remained all night clinging to the spike, where she was found. The girl was taken home evidently not much the worse for her immersion.

THE DALY-KELLY PRIZE FIGHT.

The Young St Louis Bruisers Fight the Longest Mill on Record.

ST LOUIS, April 27 —The long-talked-of encounter between Ed. Kelly and Dan Daly came off yesterday near King's Lake, on the borders of Lincoln and St Charles counties, and proved to be the longest battle on record, sixty-two rounds being fought in four hours and eight minutes. Daly was declared the winner

REMEMBER the mass meeting of citizens to be held at the court house Friday evening. Let every business man and resident interested in the growth of Decatur be in attendance.

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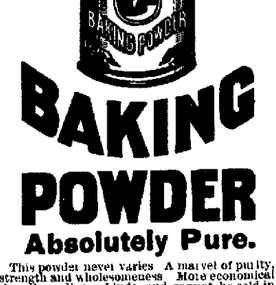

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American Meat Broiler, 85c.
Cake Pans, with tube, 15c, 20c and 25c.
Milk Pans, 6c, 7c, 8c and 10c
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2 dozen Clothes Pins for 5c.
5 packages Steel Carpet Tacks, 10c.
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Spittoons, decorated, 10c.
98c Bird Cages for 85c
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Bird Seed, 7c—4 for 25c.
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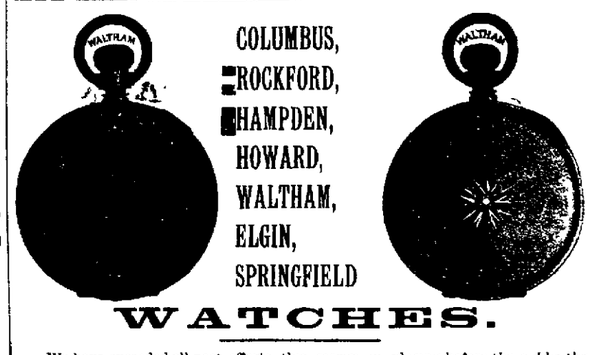

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WE are authorized to announce W. C. FOSTER as a candidate for Justice of the Peace.

We are authorized to announce THOMAS B. ALBERT as a candidate for Justice of the Peace.

WEDNESDAY EVE., APRIL 27, 1887.

LOCAL NEWS.

MAJOLICA WARE—Special bargains in this line of ware at
E. D. BARTHOLOMEW & Co.

SOFT weather.

MANHATTAN, Manhattan.

THE other day Guy Jenison received a lot of rare curiosities from Burmah.

THE Mendelssohns were guests at the New Deming while in the city.

THE Decatur Good Templars go to Harristown on Friday afternoon.

SHALL we have a base ball club? It's time that ball stock was subscribed.

FRANK PATTERSON has been using the paint brush with good results on the H. & P. grocery store.

THE suicide, Robert M. Lee, was buried to-day. He leaves a widow and four children.

THE annual synod of Springfield diocese of the Episcopal church will be held in that city May 3 and 4.

THE funeral of the infant daughter of Charles Dill took place this forenoon from St. Patrick's church.

WE never pay any attention to anonymous communications. We must have the writer's name—not for publication but for self protection.

WHEN Decatur gets a street car line or two more than it has now, when she gets a couple of more factories and two or three miles more of paved streets—and all these she soon will have—then will the surrounding towns which are even now jealous of her prosperity hide their heads in shame and humiliation.

NOW is the time to obtain a thorough course in Book Keeping and Arithmetic for $25.00, at the Business College. Tuition for one month, $10.00. a27-dtf

GIVE Hatfield & Co.s reliable White Foam flour a trial. It has no superior.

A GREAT variety of fresh vegetables and canned fruits can be had at Hanks & Patterson's popular grocery store.

MANHATTAN, Manhattan.

WE understand that the Annie E. Davis 160 acres of land north of the E. A. Jones place is for sale. It was one of the tracts picked out as a site for the Soldiers' Home that we didn't get. "Ting-a-ling."

CALL up Smith & Son by telephone and order Nickey butter and family groceries.

OTTAWA gets the Mendota organ factory when she raises $21,000 bonus. Already $18,000 has been pledged and the citizens feel sure of this valuable addition to Ottawa's many industries.

AT all leading grocery stores in Decatur Shellabarger & Co.'s White Loaf and Daily Bread flour is on sale.

EVERYBODY goes to J. Lytle & Co., in opera block, for fresh Vienna bread, pies, cakes, rolls, buns, Jersey milk, fruits and family groseries.

THE man who could write "Ben Hur" and "A Fair God," must be a great man. Be sure to hear this celebrated author, Gen. Wallace, next Monday night at the opera house.

MANHATTAN, Manhattan.

HEAR the distinguished soldier, author, politician, diplomatist, Gen. Lew Wallace, at the opera house next Monday evening, May 2d. Prices, 75, 50 and 25 cents. Seats on sale three days in advance.

MANHATTAN, Manhattan.

GEN. LEW WALLACE, author of "Ben Hur," and late U. S. Minister to Turkey, will lecture at the opera house next Monday evening, May 2d, on "Turkey and the Turks." Popular prices, 75, 50 and 25 cents. Everybody's going.

MANHATTAN, Manhattan.

THE Bluegrass Shop will make you low figures on vehicle work. ap16-dtf

TELEPHONE every day to Niedermeyer on the mound and get reliable groceries and fresh fruits.

A SEVEN year old daughter of Daniel Seitz, residing some miles southeast of Cerro Gordo, while playing about a pile of burning cornstalks in the field, had her clothing catch fire, and before assistance reached her sustained injuries from which she died Monday evening.

THE man who owns a stylish buggy or carriage has solid comfort at this season of the year. Buy a new rig at D. F. Hamsher's shop on Wood street.

HAVE you visited the Indian doctor? His office is at the tabernacle. Hours, 10 a. m. to 5 p. m. 21d1w

ANYTHING you want in the grocery line can be had at Knode & Osborne's handy store, 121 North Water street. Also vegetables and fruits.

Grain In Store in Chicago.

Weekly Statement, compiled from the books of the State Warehouse Registrar, showing the amount, in bushels, of each kind of grain in store in the Public Warehouses of Chicago, at the close of business on

SATURDAY, April 23, 1887.

Kind of Grain.	Increase during week.	Decrease during week.	Total amount in store.	Am't in store same time last year.
Wheat..	436,190	.....	23,335,487	11,700,699
Corn...	.....	350,064	9,048,501	3,882,621
Oats....	140,857	.....	1,238,909	441,715
Rye..	.....	5,497	141,687	145,480
Barley	.....	20,216	70,610	56,105
Total .	576,947	375,777	33,835,194	16,226,620

Net increase during the week....197,770 bushels.

J. W. BURRT,
Warehouse Registrar.

W. F. M. S.

A meeting of the Women's Foreign Missionary Society of the M. E. Church of Decatur District will be held in this city at Stapp's Chapel on Thursday and Friday of this week; services to commence on Thursday p. m. at 2:30, and in the evening at 7:30—on Friday at 9 o'clock, convention closing at noon. The Auxiliaries of the several Missionary Societies from other churches in our city are cordially invited to be present, and the public generally. 26-d3

MAFFIT has a plentiful supply of pure, crystal ice. Call up telephone 100 and send in your orders. apr12-dtf

A. T. GREET'S bath rooms, south of the REPUBLICAN office, are now ready for use. The rooms are the largest and best in the city. aug13-dtf

THE BRIGHT OUTLOOK.

More Store Buildings and New Additions—Sales of Property.

Don't forget the boom and business meeting at the court house Friday night. All should take a hand in the proposed organization. The committee will report. Chairman Starr has delayed his journey to Cincinnati to be present at the meeting.

A NEW BLOCK.

The rumor is well founded that a new block of store buildings is to be erected this season on the corner of North Main and William streets, to occupy the sites of the dwellings lately sold by T. A. Pritchett and C. C. Burroughs. The buildings will be so constructed that they will bring good rental for almost any class of business.

NEW ADDITION.

The Powers brothers will soon engage in the real estate business on their own hook, and will soon plat about 40 acres of valuable land adjoining the fifth ward. The lots will be in demand at once at good figures.

SOLD FOR $7,600.

The Ira B. Curtis three-story brick building at the corner of West Main street and the old square, has been sold to Mrs. Carrie M. Perl, wife of Peter Perl, for $7,600. The first floor has been occupied for a number of years by J. B. Bullard as an undertaking establishment. The purchase is simply an investment on the part of Mrs. Perl, whose income is $1200 a year. There will be no change of tenants unless the building is voluntarily vacated, in which case the Perl undertaking establishment may be removed to that corner.

Sales of Real Estate.

H. H. Wise sold to Thomas Wyatt, lot 8 in block 1, Wise's addition, for $250.

Same to Jerome P. Huff, lot 6, block 1, Wise's addition, for $250.

Same to W. H. Morgan, lot 4, block 1, Wise's addition, $250.

The above named parties will build good dwelling houses on their lots this season.

Joseph D. Hemphill to Mrs. Sarah E. Wells, lots 7 and 8 in block 22, R. R. addition to Macon, $650.

Charles A. Fletcher to Emanuel Sterr, lots 12 and 13 in block 1, Plant & Tuttle's addition, $1200.

J. H. Crocker, executor of will of John Crocker, to John N. Gray, executor's deed to lot 4 in Crocker's addition to Maroa, $600.

ON Tuesday John A. Brown sold a half interest in his fine yearling colt, "John A.," by Major Kelsey. The price paid was $125 and the purchaser was Alfred Culp. The colt is of fine stock and comes of a fast family in the trotting line.

ED. GATES had a lively time with his transfer team last evening in front of the tabernacle as the horses gave him a hot chase around an electric light pole. The horses took fright at Goodman's Band, and Ed. was successful in preventing a runaway.

Good Templar Visitation.

Members of Decatur Lodge, I. O. of G. T., will go to Harristown on the 3 p. m. train on Friday of this week to spend an evening with the Minnehaha Lodge of the same order.

THE committees in charge of the Triple-Link celebration yesterday were George W. Patterson, of Decatur Canton No. 19, chief marshal: Rev. S. F. Gibb, Charles W. Hartley and Newton Davis, of No. 186; J. M. Ready, R. J. Bills and I. N. Martin, jr., of No. 65; E. C. Bassey, E. C. Leighton and F. M. Pratt, of No. 37, and Mrs. H. H. Stafford, Mrs. Otto Sasseen and Mrs. Ed. Saylor, of No. 141.

THE cars are again running on East Main street. Through cars every day in future.

THE District Medical Society of Central Illinois held its annual meeting at Pana yesterday. There were present a goodly number of its members from various places. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, F. B. Halles, of Vandalia; first vice president, W. J. Chenoweth, Decatur; second vice president, J. Huber, Pana; secretary, J. H. Miller, Oconee; treasurer, H. H. Demming, Pana. The semi-annual meeting will be held the second Tuesday in November next at Vandalia.

THE chimneys in the county clerk's office will not carry off the smoke, consequently the main office was chock full of smoke this morning, thick enough to cut with a knife.

THE Y. M. C. A. vocal class will meet Thursday evening at 7:30 in the new W. C. T. U. room on N. Main street. The last opportunity for new beginners to enter the class.

THE exhausted and drowsy feelings, common to spring time, indicate an impure and sluggish condition of the blood, which may be remedied by the use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla. It is the most powerful, and, at the same time, most economical blood purifier known.

Knights of Pythias.

Meeting of the Endowment Rank, Knights of Pythias, at 7:30 o'clock this (Wednesday) evening. All members are requested to attend.

W. P. SHADE, Pres.

ARE you going to paint your dwelling? If so, use the H. W. Johns "Asbestos" paints. They will hold their colors and last longer than any other paint made. For sale by Morehouse, Wells & Co. m28-d&wtf

Randolph & Gher's Bulletin.

55 feet on W. Macon street, well improved, for $1250.

Two new dwellings of 5 rooms each, for $1750 a-piece.

80 feet on N. Water street, house of 5 rooms, for $2500.

6½ acres of land on W. Marietta street, for $5,000, nice and high.

New house on E. North street, splendid place, for $875.

House with 4 rooms on E. North street, for $1,000; can be bought on monthly payments.

Lot 40x152 with house of 4 rooms, on North Union street, for $950.

3 lots on W. Wood street, 43x120 feet each, price $350 a-piece.

House with 3 rooms, lot 60 feet front, for $800; terms to suit.

105x300 feet on N. Water street, for $750; nice lots.

Nice lot on W. Macon street, fenced, tiled and walk in front, for $500.

Parties wishing to buy or sell please call at our office, as we have a large list of desirable property for sale or trade, at 123 N. Water street.

THERE will be an excursion to California leaving Kansas City April 28, May 12 and 26. Fare for round trip $60. Passengers leave Decatur over the P., D. & E. For tickets and information call on T. Penwell. a26-tm12

The Celebration.

The commodious hall of Celestial Lodge 186, I. O. O. F., was chock full of people yesterday afternoon and last night to witness the observance of the attractive celebration programme as published in full in last evening's issue. There were many people present not members of the Odd Fellows' order, and they were cordially welcomed by the triple-link brethren and their ladies. The addresses by Rev. Dr. Vosburgh and Rev. Sophia Gibb were full of information connected with the birth of the order 68 years ago, and in presenting the teachings, love, friendship and benevolence of the organization they became quite eloquent. A fine literary and musical programme was carried out at night, when John Irwin made bushels of fun by his character sketch. Miss Ollie Funk's "Sister and I" recitation was warmly received. She is a gifted youthful elocutionist, and will be heard from again and often. The beautiful club rooms connected with Celestial Lodge were open during the evening, and all were free to enter and enjoy themselves.

Will Wed.

Clerk Hardy has issued marriage licenses to the following candidates for matrimonial bliss:

Marquis E. Slayback and Miss Mattie Dickey, of Ficklin, Douglas county, Ill.

William W. Conard and Miss Mary L. King, of Decatur, Ill.

Otta Durham and Miss Anna Waggoner, of Oakley, Ill.

Memoirs.

John Widick, of Belle Plain, Kansas, is in Decatur selling copies of the personal memoirs of John E. Maddox, who served as colonel of the old 116th Illinois Regiment, which went out from Decatur. Col. Maddox has published 5,000 volumes of the work. Prices $2.50 to $7.00 each.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Hon. J. A. Race, of Pana, is in town.

Mrs. A. J. Edick, of Latham, attended the Mendelssohn concert last night.

Charles P. Housum got home from Philadelphia and New York this afternoon.

Mrs. J. D. McGaffey left for St. Joseph this afternoon to visit her sister who is a school teacher.

C. B. Prescott departed for Cumberland and Jasper counties this forenoon on business.

Harry C. Lintner and wife will remove to Decatur from Richmond, Ind., in a few months and reside here in future.

Miss Lulu Patterson, daughter of Robert Patterson, and George L. Hight will be married at Macon this evening.

Hon. J. G. Cannon and daughter, Miss Helen, passed through the city last evening en route to Springfield from Danville.

J. C. Helm, formerly manager of the Decatur telegraph office, has gone to Washington Territory to engage in stock business on a ranch.

A. McKenzie, of Logan, Kansas, is visiting his father, William McKenzie, on Spring avenue. He is accompanied by his wife.

J. R. Miller, F. W. Haines, W. E. Bingham, Silas Packard and E. McClellan left for Mackinaw this morning on a fishing excursion.

E. A. Jones was able to visit the city yesterday. It was his first trip to town since he came back from California a month ago. He is getting stronger.

Entertainments Next Week.

Tuesday evening, May 3, the comedidians, Murray and Murphy, supported by Annie Lewis and a good company, will appear in their laughable comedy, "Our Irish Visitors."

Thursday evening, May 5, the distinguished young artists, Hardie and Van-Leer, will appear in Murdock's masterpiece, "A Brave Woman." Mr. James M. Hardie is well known here, having appeared in "A Child of the State."

Gen. Lew Wallace for President.

We find the following in the Chicago *Tribune:*

HYDE PARK, ILL., April 19.—In view of the uncertainty of uniting the *party* on either Blaine, Sherman or Edmunds for nomination in '88, I would name Gen. Lew Wallace for standard-bearer. I think his military, diplomatic and literary record entitles him to consideration. Any man who could write "Ben Hur" would make a good President.

ALPHA.

People who have any doubt of Gen. Wallace's ability should hear him at the opera house next Monday evening.

THE late John Telyea was buried with military honors last evening by comrades of Dunham Post, G. A. R. Funeral services were held at the residence of Mrs. J. S. King, niece of the deceased, Rev George Stevens officiating.

Sharon Notes.

Sharon Sunday school will report an attendance larger than the Harristown church.

A company of 30 young folks assembled at the Funk's for singing Sunday afternoon.

Mr. N. Childs and wife attended church Sunday.

Mr. Joe Erwin and wife, formerly of this county, have the parental care of a lady boarder, weight 8 lbs. They are located at St. Johns, Kan.; he is in the drug business. Ed. Weilipp and Charley Plank are merchants in the same town.

Wm. Sawyer has just delivered Houck & Wheeler, of Harristown, $1800 worth of cattle at Chicago prices: hogs, $5.25; cattle, $4.90.

School District No. 2 smiles on young men for directors, Gring, Cooper and Funk.

A few of our old neighbors visited the Indian wigwam Saturday to purchase Sagwa—we promised to keep it dark if it was not repeated.

J. F. Gepford, the horse fancier, sails on an elegant road sulky, weight 90 lbs., purchased of Wayne & Anderson.

Robert Park has been making improvements in the way of a celler and porch and an addition to his house.

Most of the farmers are sowing the right crop this year—red clover; it produces a crop of hay and a crop of seed and enriches the soil in one season without cultivating.

J. C. Roby & Co. have shipped 10,000 bushels of corn from Wyckle's Station this spring. At the present writing there is an opening for a real estate office at the station to boom town lots.

Rev. Smith conducted the funeral services of Andrew J. Watkins at Bethel church, another young man who had lately come west. His home was in western Virginia, and he was living near Bearsdale, within one mile and a half of the one who died three weeks ago.

April 27. FILLMORE.

A LIMITED quantity of the Magic Carpet Sweepers, for One Dollar only, at
d&w LINN & SCRUGGS.

Dying.

This morning William Newton, who occupies one of W. H. Bramble's dwellings, got word from Mansfield, Ill., that his brother, Robert Newton, was in a dying condition, the result of injuries received yesterday by falling off a scaffold. J. H. Burns, who was a leading resident of Piatt county, was instantly killed by the accident; his neck was broken. William, who is in the employ of the city, quit work on getting word of his brother's condition, and left for Mansfield on the first train.

THE matter of the entertainment of the 600 Sunday school delegates who will be here in May to attend the state convention is something which appeals to the membership of all churches, and all such who can conveniently and easily entertain delegates should report the fact to their church committee. Much is yet to be done for the success of the gathering, but first of all our citizens of all denominations must provide for their care and keeping while amongst us.

Coming—"On the Wing."

The cheery lecturer, Rev. Dr. Willits, of Louisville, who last winter delivered his bright talk on "Sunshine" in Decatur, will appear at the opera house Friday evening and give us his newest lecture—"On the Wing; or, a Summer's Flight over the Sea." Decatur people know the genial and witty Dr. Willits and they will flock to hear him Friday evening and take their friends with them. There is nothing slow or solemn about the Doctor. He is always happy and cheerful. Those who desire two hours of real enjoyment and wish to obtain useful knowledge, should hear this lecturer.

THE annual session of the Grand Lodge of the Ancient United Workmen of Illinois began at Galesburg yesterday. During the last year thirty-three new lodges have been organized, making a present total of 310. Of initiations there were 2,864, a net gain of 1,911. There were 151 deaths, on account of which $278,345 was disbursed. The order in this state now represents nearly $38,000,000 of assurance capital. The Grand Master Workman in his annual report recommends measures to discourage the instituting of any more lodges in Chicago as that city now has sixty-two lodges, with nearly six thousand members. He also discourages the receiving of any one engaged in the distilling or saloon business as charter members. The prospective candidates for Grand Master are C. D. Keller, Peoria; L. L. Troy, Chicago; Senator G. W. Hill, Murphysboro, and C. A. Wilcox, Quincy.

The Concert.

The Mendelssohn Quintette Club of Boston, organized in 1849, gave one of their artistic entertainments at the opera house last night before a large audience, under the auspices of The Ladies New Church Aid Society of the Presbyterian church the concert netting the church fund $50. A programme of 10 classical selections with numerous encore pieces was given. All were well received. The members of the club are John Marquardt, solo violin; Fritz Schade, violin; Thomas Ryan, solo clarinette and viola; William Schade, solo flute and viola; Louis Blumberg, solo violincello, and Miss Alice Ryan, vocalist. The concert was one of the finest our people have had the privilege of hearing, and it was highly appreciated. Mr. Ryan states that owing to the restrictions of the Inter-State commerce law, the Mendelssohns will have to quit traveling. The expenses are too great.

As A hair dressing and renovator, Ayer's Hair Vigor is universally commended. It eradicates dandruff, cures eruptions of the scalp, invigorates and beautifies the hair, and prevents its fading or turning gray.

$100 Reward.

The city of Decatur will pay $100 for the apprehension and conviction of the party or parties who have recently been setting fire to buildings in the city.

a25-d6 M. F. KANAN, Mayor.

MARRIED.

By P. B. Provost, J. P., in Decatur on April 26, Mr. Marion F. Pixley, of Oreana, and Miss Ella M. Ishler, of Decatur

The Chicago Grain Market.

The following were the closing quotations in Chicago at 1 p. m. to-day, received by G. C. Caldwell, Commission Merchant:

WHEAT—81½ April; 82¾ May; 83½ June; 83 July.

CORN—37¾ April; 38¼ May; 39¼ June 41½ July.

OATS—26⅝ April; 27⅝ May; 28¼ June; 29 July

PORK—$20.65 Apr; $20.75 May; $20.75 June.

LARD—$6.82 Apr; $6.87 May; $6.95 June.

RIBS—$7.50 Apr; $7.55 May; $7.65 June.

Live Stock—Estimated receipts—Hogs 16,000; prospects easier.

Cattle, 8,500; market easier.

Car Lots—Wheat: Winter 13; Spring 122; Corn, 76; Oats, 75.

Notice in Chancery.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY,

In the Circuit Court of said county to the June Term, A. D. 1887.

Edmor Ticknor vs. Elias W. Ticknor, Elizabeth Ticknor, Henry H. Ticknor, Mary Ticknor, Harriett Bozarth, John Bozarth, Johnson Bozarth, Mary A. Hosler, David Hosler, Walter Bozarth, Buford Bozarth and the unknown heirs of Arthur Bozarth, deceased—Partition and Dower.

Affidavit of the non-residence of the above named Elias W. Ticknor, Elizabeth Ticknor, Henry H. Ticknor, Mary Ticknor, Harriett Bozarth, John Bozarth, Johnson Bozarth, Mary A. Hosler, David Hosler, Walter Bozarth, Buford Bozarth and the unknown heirs of Arthur Bozarth, deceased, defendants above named, having been filed in the office of the clerk of said court, public notice is hereby given to the said Elias W. Ticknor, Elizabeth Ticknor, Henry H. Ticknor, Mary Ticknor, Harriett Bozarth, John Bozarth, Johnson Bozarth, Mary A. Hosler, David Hosler, Walter Bozarth, Buford Bozarth and the unknown heirs of Arthur Bozarth, deceased, that the complainant filed her bill of complaint in said court, on the chancery side thereof, on the 27th day of April, A. D. 1887, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against said defendants returnable on the first Monday of June next (1887) as is by law required.

Now, unless you, the said Elias W. Ticknor, Elizabeth Ticknor, Henry H. Ticknor, Mary Ticknor, Harriett Bozarth, John Bozarth, Johnson Bozarth, Mary A. Hosler, David Hosler, Walter Bozarth, Buford Bozarth and the unknown heirs of Arthur Bozarth, deceased, shall personally be and appear before said circuit court of Macon county on the first day of the next term thereof, to be holden in Decatur in said county, on the first Monday of June, 1887, and plead, answer or demur to the said complainant's bill of complaint, the same and the matters and things therein charged and stated, will be taken as confessed and a decree entered against you, according to the prayer of said bill

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

MILLS BROS., Comp'l's Sol's. apr27-d4w

Notice in Chancery.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY,

In the Circuit Court, to June Term, 1887.

A. Dallas Walt and Lowber Burrows, Trustees, Complainants,
vs.
Samuel G. Malone, Selina J. Malone and Frank C. Meyer, Defendants.—Chancery.

Affidavit of the non-residence of said defendant, Selina J. Malone, having been filed in my office, notice is hereby given to said Selina J. Malone that said suit is now pending in said court, and that summons has been issued therein against said defendants, returnable into said court, at the place where the same is held in Decatur, in said county, on the first Monday in June, A. D. 1887. E. McCLELLAN,

April 27th, 1887—d4w Clerk of said Court.

LINN and SCRUGGS.
SILKS, DRESS GOODS, SHAWLS, CLOAKS, CARPETS, RUGS, CURTAINS and WALL PAPER
AGENTS FOR BUTTERICKS' PATTERNS.

We announce for this week another
GREAT SALE
OF
SPRING DRESS GOODS
At an Astonishing Reduction.

PRICES FOR THIS WEEK:

50-Inch	All-Wool Fancy Suiting, at	95c
36 "	Diagonal, at	22c
40 "	All-Wool Suiting, at	35c
36 "	" French Serge, "	38c
36 "	" Tricot,	50c
40 "	" French Serge,	48c
36 "	" Plaids,	50c
28 "	Serge,	15c

The above prices and many others not quoted are below competition.

SILKS.

SPECIAL PRICES—3 Special Bargains in Black Gros-Grains, at $1.00, $1,25 and $1.60.
Black Satin Rhadames, all silk, worth $1.25, for 79c—A BARGAIN.

24-Inch Black Surah, at	95c	Waranted for Wear.
24-Inch " " "	$1.00	
24-Inch " " "	1.25	
Black and Colored Surahs at	75c	
" " " Rhadames, at	84c	

PARASOLS AND SUN UMBRELLAS.

The largest assortment we have ever shown in Novelties, Staples, Checks, Stripes and Figures. An elegant assortment of Lace Coverings, in Doriac and Escurial Laces.

PRICES FOR THIS WEEK:

Black Satin, Lace Trimmed, with Lining, Special Value, at $1,68, $2.00, $2.50, $2.85 and $3.00.
Black Satin, Lace Trimmed, with Sunset Lining, at $3.40, $4.00, $4.50, $5.00 and $6.50.
Children's Parasols, ranging in price from 20c to $2.50.

This is an opportunity seldom offered.

LINN & SCRUGGS.

We are showing this season an elegant line of
WOOD, IRON AND SLATE MANTELS.
We think that we can please everybody in search of goods in this line.
Our assortment of plain, glazed, enamelled and high art Majolica Tiles for Hearths and Facings cannot be surpassed.
Morehouse, Wells & Co.

NEW
SIGNAL FLAGS.

Informs you that fair weather prevails. It will be in order to go at once to JOHN IRWIN'S WHITE FRONT, and select a Tailor made Worsted or Cheviot Suit, Latest Style Hat, or an Easter Neck Tie.

BLUE Means rain, and is a reminder that the WHITE FRONT is well supplied with Waterproof goods and Umbrellas.

This is for Temterature. When seen on top, Light Fabrics are needed. When placed below, a nice Spring Overcoat is the thing.

Is suggestive of the cold chill that strikes our Competitors when they think of the Low Prices and Good Quality of Goods to be found at the

* WHITE * FRONT. *

PARK HAT STORE.
First Door East of Peddecord, Burrows & Co.'s Bank.

We offer this week the following lines of Shirts to close out:

10 dozen Laundried Shirts,	at	$1.00,	worth $1.50.
10 " " "	"	87c,	" 1.25.
10 " Unlaundried "	"	75c,	" 1.00.
8 " " "	"	60c,	" 75.
8 " " "	"	45c,	" 60.

The above goods are all regular goods and well worth outside prices, but we have too many and they must go.

Agents for KNOX world-renowned Silk and Stiff Hats.

S. T. KEELER, Manager.

March 31 d&w1mo

New Book Bindery
AND
BlankBookManufactory,

227 S. Water St., Decatur.

Magazines and all kinds of books bound and repaired
Telescope Boxes made to order
Names stamped in gold on books, pocket-books, toilet cases, etc
Numbering tickets, checks, etc.

HERMAN SPIES, Proprietor.

Oct. 30 d6m

✠FULL LINE✠
OF
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SPRING GOODS
AT
FLEURY'S,

The French Cutter,

158 MERCHANT STREET.

ST. Nicholas Hotel

CHAS. LAUX, Proprietor.

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FROM ST. LOUIS		TO ST. LOUIS	
No 4 Pass	11 50 a m	No 1 Pass	3 50 a m
No 42 Pass	10 06 p m	No. 43 Pass	4:15 a m
No. 2 Pass	11 59 p m	No 5 Pass	3 06 p m
No 70 Freight	5 45 p m	No. 71 Freight	5 45 a m
FROM QUINCY		TO QUINCY	
No 42 Pass	10 30 p m	No 43 Pass	4:35 a m
No 44 Pass	11 25 a m	No 45 Pass	1 15 p m
No 48 Acc	7 00 p m	No 47 Acc	7.20 a m
No. 70 Freight	11 00 a m	No 71 Freight	12 30 p m
FROM TOLEDO & DETROIT		TO TOLEDO & DETROIT	
No 43 Pass	4 05 a m	No 46 Pass	1 25 a m
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MACON COUNTY, }

In the Circuit Court of Said County. To the June Term, A. D. 1887.

Mary P. Murphey, Elizabeth Hostetler, Elizabeth Ferguson, Hieronymus Hanks, Seth C. Hanks and Luella Bradshaw, Complainants, vs John Belymer, Laura B. Freeman, Celester M. Getting, Hattie A. Wykel and Martin P. Murphey in his individual capacity and as executor of the will of Margaret Wykel, Defendants. In Chancery. Bill for Partition

Notice is hereby given to the said Laura B. Freeman, Celester M. Getting and Hattie A. Wykel, that the above named complainants heretofore filed their bill of complaint in said court on the chancery side thereof, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against the above named defendants, returnable on the first day of the term of the circuit court of Macon county to be held at the court house in Decatur in said Macon county on the first Monday of June, A. D. 1887, as is by law required, and which suit is still pending.

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THE CRIMINAL RECORD.

A Den of Counterfeiters Broken Up By Secret Service Officers.

Treacherously Murdered By a Coward —A Plucky Old Pensioner Robbed and Shot—Jake Sharp's Trial.

Sentenced For Life—Capture of a Deserter —Attempted Wife-Murder and Suicide—Fatally Shot.

Counterfeiters' Den Raided—Two Women Arrested.

NEW YORK, April 25.—Late Saturday night the United States Secret Service officers, from information they had received, raided the apartments at No. 273 East Eleventh street, and arrested Mrs. Annie Kelly and her sister, Mrs. Ellen Barrett, and captured a counterfeiters' outfit, consisting of molds, plaster of paris casts, melting pots and 168 counterfeit silver dollars ready for circulation. The counterfeits were well executed, and would pass readily in any store. Mrs. Kelly is thirty-eight years of age, and is said to be an old-timer in the counterfeit business. The prisoners were arraigned before Commissioner Shields and held for examination. It is believed the gang of which the prisoners are members has passed thousands of the bogus coins within the last few months.

Treacherously Murdered.

TIFFIN, O., April 25.—A row occurred in a saloon yesterday on Washington street between some pipemen working for the Natural Gas Company, in which Wm. Birmingham, foreman of the ditchers, severely punished one Paul Kuhn, who had been drinking and was insulting in his remarks.

About ten o'clock last night Kuhn, with Frank Alwine, Keller Speck and John Reister, called at Birmingham's boarding-house and requested to see him. He stepped to the door, when Alwine hit him on the head with a large stone, crushing in his skull. He dropped insensible to the floor and the assailants fled. They were later arrested and lodged in jail. Birmingham's condition is critical this morning. The physicians say he can not live.

Fatally Shot While Pursuing the Gang Which Had Robbed Him.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., April 25.—A man named Reynolds, living in Searcy County, was robbed Saturday night of $500 or $600. Reynolds lived alone in a rude cabin, and was believed to have a large sum secreted in his hut. He was a Federal soldier, and had recently received a pension, the arrearages of which amounted to over $3,000. Three masked men burst into the house, demanding money. He refused and was knocked senseless. The hut was then ransacked, the robbers securing only a small portion of the money Reynolds regained consciousness after they left, and pursued them. The thieves turned and fired on him, inflicting fatal wounds.

Jake Sharp's Trial.

NEW YORK, April 26.—District Attorney Martine has decided that the particular indictment on which he will try Jacob Sharp is the one which charges him, conjointly with Kerr, Forshaw, Keenan, De Lacey and Maloney, of having, on August 30, 1884, offered Alderman Fuligraff a bribe of $20,000 to influence his vote on the Broadway franchise. The trial was set down for May 30. The motion to quash the indictment will be argued next Friday by James C. Carter, president of the New York Bar Association, who has been specially retained by Sharp's counsel for that purpose

Youthful Murderers Sentenced for Life.

NEW YORK, April 25.—Two young men, scarcely past their youth, were this morning sentenced to imprisonment for life by Judge Van Brunt, in the Court of Oyer and Terminer, and were at once taken to Sing Sing. One was Otto J. White, who killed his stepmother's servant, Louisa Wolf. The other was John Muller, who shot and killed his companion, John Goggins, in Madison street. In pronouncing the sentences, Judge Van Brunt was much moved, and expressed great pain at being compeled to shut out such young lives.

A Deserter Arrested.

TIFFIN, O., April 25.—James O'Brien, who deserted from a detachment of the United States army which was passing through this city yesterday morning on the Baltimore & Ohio railroad, and a description of whom was telegraphed our police, called at the Market street station last night for lodgings. He was accommodated, and will be taken to Columbus and turned over to the authorities there.

Attempted Wife Murder and Suicide.

WARREN, Mass., April 25.—Last evening Jerry Shea, assaulted his wife with a razor, inflicting a gash in her throat, a frightful cut in the temple and a small cut in the face, after which Shea cut his own throat. Mrs. Shea may recover, but the husband will probably die. The couple had lived apart, and Shea had several times threatened to kill her unless she returned to him.

Fatally Shot by an Unknown Hand.

WABASH, Ind, April 25.—Eddie, the five-year-old son of John Fincher, of Peru, was shot and fatally injured by an unknown assailant while playing in his father's yard Saturday evening. The face and breast of the little fellow were filled with buckshot. The cause of the murder is a mystery.

Trial for Murder Postponed.

BROOKLYN, April 25.—The trial of Greenwald, the alleged murderer of Lyman S. Weeks, has been postponed until May 16, at the request of his counsel.

"Let Us Have Peace"

BOSTON, April 25.—The London Peace Society has issued an address to the friends of peace in the United States, noting the possibility that the Canadian fishery question may be made a serious one by the use of inconsiderate language on one side or the other, and invoking aid in throwing oil on the troubled waters. The society trusts that ordinary diplomatic negotiations will suffice to end the difficulty and suggests that should the negotiations fail, the points in dispute may be submitted to arbitration. The address is signed by Joseph W. Pease, Bart, M. P., president; Henry Richard, M. P., honorary secretary; Wm. Jones, secretary.

Assigned.

CHICAGO, April 25.—Theodore Stuart, wood-mantle manufacturer at Nos. 18 and 20 Sloan street, with a store room at No. 245 Wabash avenue, assigned this morning for the benefit of his creditors. Liabilities, $28,094, and assets $9,314. Stuart did business under the style of the Philipson Decorating Company.

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TWO WAR PICTURES.

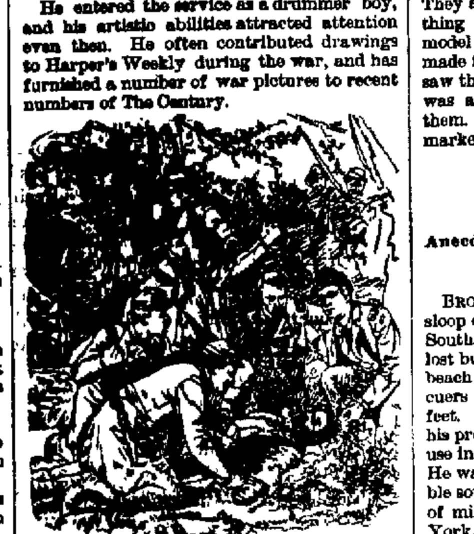
"WITH FATE AGAINST THEM" AND "DEATH OF SEDGWICK."

They are Exhibited in the New York Academy of Design and are Attracting General Attention—Something About the Artists and Their Way of Working.

[Special Correspondence.]

NEW YORK, April 25.—Two war pictures are attracting a good deal of attention at the exhibition of the Academy of Design this year. One is Gilbert Gaul's "With Fate Against Them," showing a handful of Confederate soldiers in desperate but hopeless conflict with the Union forces, and the other is the "Death of Gen. Sedgwick," by Julian Scott, of Plainfield, N. J. Mr. Scott was a Union soldier during the civil war, and he carried himself so gallantly as to receive a medal for personal bravery from congress.

He entered the service as a drummer boy, and his artistic abilities attracted attention even then. He often contributed drawings to Harper's Weekly during the war, and has furnished a number of war pictures to recent numbers of The Century.



DEATH OF GEN. SEDGWICK.

Maj. Gen. John Sedgwick was born in Litchfield county, Conn., about 1817. He graduated at West Point in 1837, and was immediately appointed second lieutenant in the Second artillery, reaching the position of first lieutenant in 1839. At the battle of Contreras and Churubusco he commanded his company, and won the brevet rank of captain; and highly distinguished himself at Molino del Rey, Chapultepec and the attack on the San Cosme gate. He was brevetted major for gallentry at Chapultepec. In 1849 he was commissioned captain, and in March, 1855, was promoted major of the First cavalry. April 25, 1861, he was appointed colonel of the Fourth cavalry and on Aug. 31 brigadier general of volunteers. He commanded a division in the Chickahominy campaign. On July 4, 1862, he was commissioned a major general of volunteers. He was seriously wounded at the battle of Antietam, and after his recovery was placed in command of the Ninth army corps. Soon after he became the commander of the Sixth army corps, with which his name will ever be associated.

Kneeling at the head of Gen. Sedgwick is Maj. Whittier, at his right Maj. T. W. Hyde. Col. C. H. Tompkins, with raised hands, is calling aid. Lieut. Col. Martin T. McMahon is attracting the attention of Maj Whittier to the stretcher just arrived. Surgeon Ohlenschlager has placed one of his hands upon the heart of the dead general, while with the other he feels to see if any pulse is left. Maj. J. Ford Kent is on the extreme left of the picture, which is not shown in the cut. Lieut. Federhem is just in the rear of his guns. Capt. Chauncy Harris and Sergt. Ira Hund are retiring with the rest of their command to the low breastworks.

Lieut. Col. and Brevet Maj. Gen. M. T. McMahon was engaged in conversation with Gen. Sedgwick at the moment that the general was struck. He was chief of staff of the Sixth army corps, having served previously in that capacity with Gen. Franklin, while in command of the left grand division of the army of the Potomac. He entered the service as an aide de camp of Maj. Gen. McClellan, commanding the army, and served with the army of the Potomac until the close of the war. He is now United States marshal for the southern district of New York.

Col. and Brevet Maj. Gen. Charles H. Tompkins was chief of artillery of the Sixth Army corps. He was colonel of the First Rhode Island artillery, and had been in command of all the batteries of the Sixth Army corps. He entered the service in 1861, as captain of the first battery which reached Washington on the first call for troops. He now resides in New York city and is president of the American Diamond Rock Boring company.

Maj. Thomas W. Hyde, brigadier general and brevet major general, was provost marshal of the corps. He entered the service in 1861 as captain in the Seventh Maine. He was subsequently promoted to be major, and afterward of the veteran regiment on its re-enlistment. He now resides at Bath, Me. He was twice elected president of the senate of that state, and, with Gen. McMahon, is on the board of managers of the National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, and is president of the Bath iron works.

Maj. Charles A. Whittier, lieutenant colonel and brevet major general, was at the time the senior aide to Gen. Sedgwick. He was subsequently promoted lieutenant colonel and adjutant general of the Second Army corps, in which position he continued until the close of the war. He is now a banker in Boston.

"WITH FATE AGAINST THEM"

Gilbert Gaul is famous for his war pictures, which mostly depict Confederate soldiers, who, in their destitute condition, were more picturesque and heroic than our own. For a long time war scenes "did not take." Nobody wanted them, nobody looked at them. One artist who had tried them persistently at last abandoned them and went abroad to devote himself to more conventional and salable subjects. Gilbert Gaul exhibited some small but marvelously realistic and expressive scenes, and the critics and the public at once nodded approval of his genius. He paints nothing now but war scenes. Sometimes it is a picture of a veteran standing solitary and lighting his pipe; sometimes an aid carrying a dispatch is surprised, killed and his dispatches taken; sometimes it is a wagon train running an ambush. But no matter what the subject, Mr. Gaul's pictures are all characterized by action. It is his love of action in figures which led him to make a specialty of war scenes rather than any fondness for the grim spirit of war. He saw that in all military subjects, particularly the fragmentary ones he paints, there was an opportunity to represent action. He is a young man, deliberate in manner and modest, a native of New Jersey. Inheriting some property in the south, he went there and spent three years in making studies of battle grounds and Confederate soldiers. Many of the figures in his pictures were painted from original models who dressed up in the tattered garments they wore when quitting the service and posed for him. They are true portraits of the courageous, rawboned mountaineer and the unyielding sons of the valleys who went forth to battle with a "last ditch" determination in their faces, and never faltered to the end. His horses, too, are Confederate horses. They are animals which have a hearty sympathy with the work they are engaged in, and show at once former "better days" and recent hard experiences. They are painted directly from life. Everything Mr. Gaul paints is made as real as a model before the eyes can make it. After he made fame as a painter of war scenes, others saw that the public interest in war pictures was awakened and again began to create them. Mr. Gaul's picture at the Academy is marked in the catalogue at $2,000.

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FOOLING THE BRITISH.

Anecdotes of the Days of 1812 as They Passed on Long Island.

[Special Correspondence.]

BROOKLYN, April 25.—In 1812 the English sloop of war Sylph went ashore in a gale off Southampton and every one on board was lost but the purser. He was washed on the beach insensible. In reviving him his rescuers were obliged to cut his boots from his feet. On coming to, his first act was to treat his preservers to every oath at that time in use in the British navy, for spoiling his boots. He was kept as a prisoner of war in a sociable sort of fashion at the house of a relative of mine, and after the peace went to New York, engaged in business and made a fortune. His name was Parsons.

A boat load of English came on shore at Montauk point one day from the fleet, killed one of Mr. Hand's cows and carried it on board. Hand impressed an Indian at the point of his rawhide to paddle him in a canoe to the admiral's ship. He clambered over the side and, when asked his business, said he wanted to be paid for that cow, and if he was not paid he (Hand), with his one Indian, his canoe and his rawhide, would "take it out of the English fleet" The admiral being informed of this demand, enforced by two men, one canoe and a rawhide, came on deck, and, telling Hand that he was the bravest and most impudent American or any other man he ever heard of, ordered that he should be paid This is another proof of the saying that no one ever knows what he can do till he tries. Many a monumental ton of stone stands over reputed heroes who could not do what Hand did. Napoleon would have made Hand a marshal—if of nothing else, of a torch-light procession. I am not quite certain that his name was Hand. But he belonged to one of the half dozen original families constituting the village of Amagansett, the most easterly settlement of Long Island, and any one down there will give you his right name, if it was not Hand.

During the war of 1812 the people of East Hampton kept a cannon on the town commons to be fired as an alarm signal if the English landed. It was fired one night, and the town turned out, some with muskets and some in their night gowns, to repel the invaders. But the invader would not be repelled, because he hadn't come. He was on the fleet, awakened by the report, and wondering who might be about to attack him. It was only a cow which had alarmed the easily frightened sentinel—a cow which had advanced but could not give the countersign when hailed. Now, my uncle, Jeremiah Mulford, was a born scamp. He relished the alarm and all the consequent excitement, and wanted more of it. So he concluded he'd have that gun fired over again. He put up the job with two other lesser scamps. Friction matches were not known in those days, so the alarmists kept the school house wood fire burning all night to secure the live coal necessary to touch off the gun. Jeremiah rammed down the charge with a stove handle, touched her off, was knocked down by the recoil of the piece, got up half blinded, ran home, crawled into the window and into bed as everybody else was getting out "armed and equipped as the law directs." The men were taking down their flintlock muskets with shaking hands, the women were putting up the shutters to barricade the houses. Jeremiah heard one of the town's prominent men, as he rode up to the house of his son-in-law, crying out: "Daniel! Daniel! Get up! One gun's gone off, and another's going pretty soon!"

The town was "sold again," and many were glad to be sold out in this way. The selectmen offered a reward for the offenders. Jeremiah was an uncommonly good and quiet boy for many days. His sister, my Aunt Ursula, had her suspicions, for she knew he was generally either at the bottom or top of all the mischief done in the place. It was he who had once inserted a chestnut burr under the tail of her young man's mare, causing that animal distressing physical sensations and its rider results still more agonizing. There was another man who suspected Jeremiah. It was the old "codger" who made all the hickory ax helves and hoe handles for the town. He had found one of his hoe handles near the gun next morning and knew the family it belonged to He knew Jerry also. He met Jerry in a retired spot about a week afterward and confronted him with that hoe handle. But he made no charge. He said only: "Jerry—Jerry—hum—isn't this your hoe handle?" Jerry's face was one of impervious innocence. "Jerry! Jerry! Oh, Jerry!" and the hoe handle detective, and then he smiled and walked away. He never "peached." PRENTICE MULFORD.

Eccentricities of Mr. Girard.

Many stories are related of old Girard's eccentricities, but here is one I know has never yet been told I got it from my wife's wrinkled mother, whose parents knew the old man when he kept his little shop in old Mt Holly's crooked streets, over in New Jersey, and sold candles and thread and buckets and needles. Mrs. Taylor, the widow of one of his shipmasters, lost at sea, had grown old in his service as housekeeper. She had twice succumbed to his weird manners and left him, each time returning. She had saved a snug little sum, and determined to purchase a home. She selected a little brick house, wofully in need of repair, on Chatham street above Callowhill and next door to some of her warm friends. She was advised to wait. Friends told her old Girard would surely provide for her comfort in his will. She made the purchase, however, and Girard got on inkling of it. One day Mrs. Taylor's friends saw a queer looking man peering over the back fence of the little estate. He walked up through the yard and tried the back door, but could not get in. Then he knocked at the door of the house adjoining and secured the key to the door. He went through it, and the next day a crowd of mechanics took possession, and the little brick house was snugly fitted up. Mrs. Taylor heard about it a day or two after the work had begun When Girard died Mrs. Taylor was left $500 a year as long as she lived.—Philadelphia Letter.

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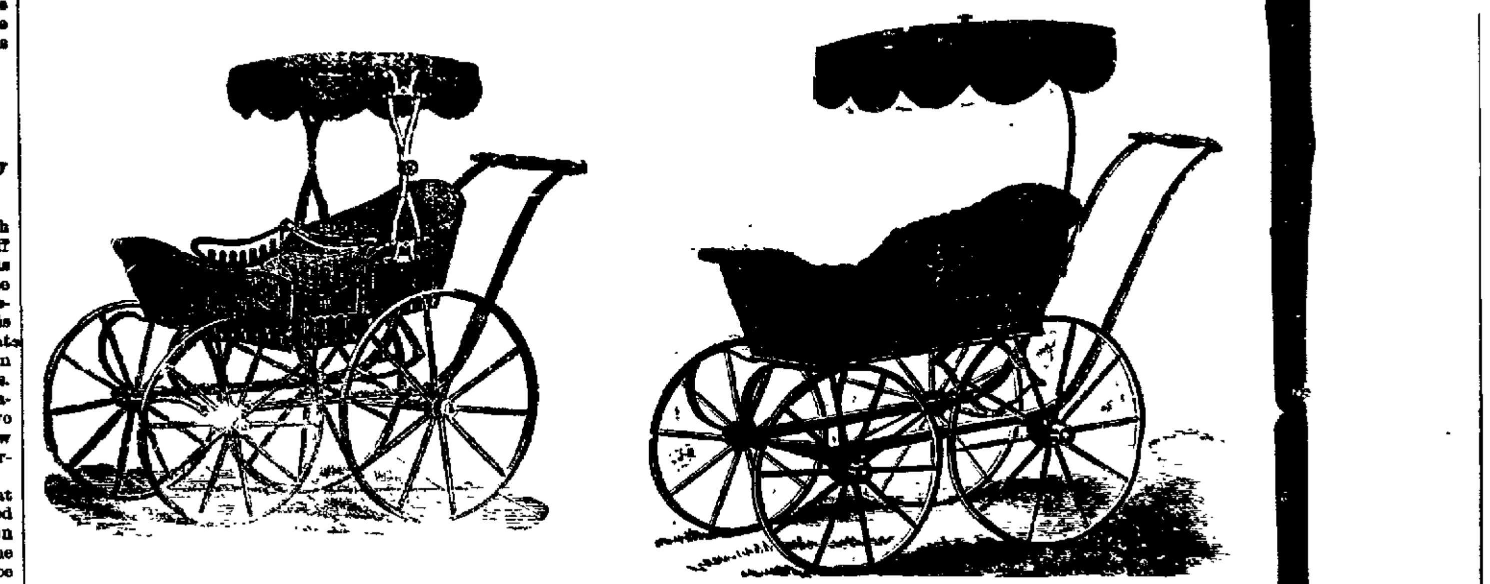

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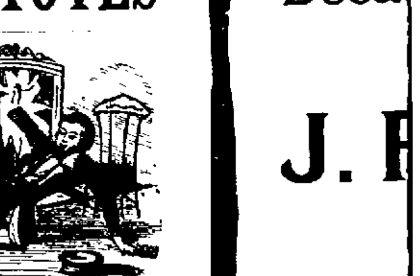

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Administrator's Sale.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY. }

In the County Court of the February Term, A. D. 1887.

Jacob Kessler, Administrator of the estate of Philip Bauer, deceased, vs. Katrina Bauer, Susanna Bauer, Margaret Bauer, Peter Bauer, Adam Bauer and John Frank.—Sale of Real Estate to pay debts.

By virtue of an order and decree of the County Court of Macon county, Illinois, made on the petition of the undersigned, Jacob Kessler, administrator of the estate of Philip Bauer, deceased, for leave to sell the real estate of the said deceased, said order having been made at the February Term of said Court, on to-wit the sixteenth day of February, 1887, I shall, on

Saturday, the 30th day of April, A. D. 1887,

at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon of said day, sell at public sale at the west door of the court house, in the city of Decatur, in said county, the real estate described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing on the west line of Jackson street, three and forty-five one-hundredth chains south of the south line of Priest street, in the west half (½) of the southwest quarter (¼) of section fourteen (14), in township sixteen (16) north, range two (2) east of the third (3d) Principal Meridian, thence south one and ninety-five one-hundredth chains, thence west three and eighty one-hundredth chains to the east line of the right of way of the Illinois Central Railroad Company; thence northeasterly along said east line of said right of way to a point due west of the point of beginning, thence east to said point of beginning, reserving, however, all coal and other valuable deposit or mineral, together with the right to mine and remove the same from underneath said land, situated in the county of Macon and state of Illinois; also the southeast quarter (¼) of the northeast quarter (¼) of section number twenty (20), township sixteen (16) north, range two (2) east of the third (3d) Principal Meridian, containing forty (40) acres according to government survey, also the south half (½) of the northeast quarter (¼) of the northeast quarter (¼) of said section twenty (20), containing twenty (20) acres, according to government survey; all of said lands being situated in the county of Macon and state of Illinois.

On the following terms, to-wit: The purchaser or purchasers shall pay one-half of the amount of their respective bids in cash, and execute notes for the residue of the purchase money, payable twelve months after date with approved personal security, and shall further secure said notes by mortgages on the premises sold; said notes to bear interest from date at the rate of six per cent. per annum, and the purchaser of the incumbered premises shall assume said mortgage debt by an instrument of writing executed by the purchaser to the administrator.

JACOB KESSLER,
Administrator of the Estate of Philip Bauer, deceased.

Dated this 28th day of March, A. D. 1887.
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Removal.

B. McGorray has removed his real estate, insurance and loan office to No. 243 S. Park, over Dr. Stoner's drug store, where he will be glad to meet his friends, patrons and the public generally needing anything in his line of business. apr1d1m

Returned.

Dr. J. F. Reid, veterinary surgeon, has returned, after a brief absence, and will hereafter be found at his old quarters, Brenneman & Bros.' Stables. Telephone communication. 20-d6

W. A. COMBS, proprietor of the restaurant on South Water street, opposite the court house, is prepared to furnish good, clean meals for 25 cents. Farmers and others are requested to call and give the place a trial. d&w

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Special Election.

NOTICE is hereby given that a Special Election will be held in the town of Decatur, in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, on

TUESDAY, the 10th Day of May, A. D 1887,

at the following voting places in said town, to wit:

1st Voting District—At Mrs. Warnecke's Store
2d Voting District—At L. M. Gill's store
3d Voting District—At A. F. Gephart's Store
4th Voting District—At J. C. Hendricks' Shop
5th Voting District—At E. McNabb's Shop
6th Voting District—Nichols Bros.' shop
7th Voting District—At Tabernacle.
8th Voting District—At Citizens' Street Railway Car Stables
9th Voting District—At L. Koehler's Store.
10th Voting District—At Eldorado Hose House

For the purpose of electing One Justice of the Peace, to fill the vacancy existing in that office in said town, occasioned by the death of J. M. Lowry, Esq., which election will be opened at eight o'clock in the morning and continue open until seven o'clock in the afternoon of that day

Dated at Decatur this 14th day of April, in the year of our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Eighty-seven

a14-dtd JNO. R. WILLIAMS, Town Clerk.

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